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TAGS: EAIR, NI

SUBJECT: CIVAIR: PAN AM'S FOURTH WEEKLY FREQUENCY TO
LAGOS

REF: (A) STATE 159171, (B) LAGOS 7943

1. THE FIRST FLIGHT OF PAN AM'S FOURTH WEEKLY FREQUENCY
TO LAGOS IS SCHEDULED TO OPERATE ON JULY 3. PAN AM HAS
ADVISED DEPT THAT, UNLESS REQUESTED TO THE CONTRARY
BY DEPT, IT INTENDS TO OPERATE THIS FLIGHT ON JULY 3
WHETHER OR NOT NIGERIAN AUTHORITIES ISSUE AUTHORIZING
LETTER IN ADVANCE.

2. WHILE DEPT HAS NO WISH TO CREATE AN INCIDENT, IT
ALSO BELIEVES THAT VALIDITY OF RECENTLY-SIGNED AIR
TRANSPORT AGREEMENT WOULD BE SIGNIFICANTLY IMPAIRED IF
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NIGERIAN AUTHORITIES ARE ABLE, BY FAILING TO TAKE ACTION,
PREVENT PAN AM FROM OPERATING THE FOURTH FREQUENCY TO
WHICH IT IS ENTITLED UNDER THE AGREEMENT. THEREFORE,
WHILE NOT FORMALLY APPROVING PAN AM INTENTION, DEPT
DOES NOT PLAN TO TELL PAN AM THAT IT SHOULD NOT PROCEED.

3. EMBASSY SHOULD HOWEVER PRESS NIGERIAN AUTHORITIES

FOR PROMPT NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF FLIGHT PER PARA 1
OF REFTEL B IN ORDER TO AVOID ANY POSSIBLE INCIDENT. VANCE

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